## The Virginia Department of Business Assistance invites you to attend its fall economic development seminar





Wednesday, September 6, 2006 8:45 am – 1:00 pm

(Registration and Refreshments: 8:00 am – 8:45 am)

Festival Center – James Madison University Harrisonburg, Virginia

Accessing capital continues to be an overwhelming concern for entrepreneurs and existing businesses looking to expand. Topics will include:

Early stage capital products to support high growth entrepreneurs
 Alternative loan products for businesses and,

Keynote luncheon address on early stage funding for business development, trends in angel investing and the importance of partnerships and mentoring for entrepreneurs featuring

David Rizzo - President & CEO
North Carolina Innovative Development for Economic Advancement.

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A RESOURCE FAIR for seminar attendees will include the following exhibitors: Virginia Department of Business Assistance (DBA), Small Business Administration (SBA), Virginia Department of Housing and Community Development (DHCD), Virginia Center for Innovative Technology (CIT), People, Inc., Jefferson Corner Group as well as statewide angel networks and banks. Plus...more agencies/organizations to be added.

You may register for this seminar online at www.dba.virginia.gov/form.asp or by filling out and returning the registration form along with a fee of \$60 payable to the "Treasurer of Virginia" by Wednesday, August 30, 2006.

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www.dba.virginia.gov/events/event.asp?EVENT\_ID=2927 registration form and direction or by clicking the "Virginia Economic Development Seminar" link in the Upcoming Events section of the home page at www.dba.virginia.gov.

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